

**Motor Vehicle Traffic Safety Facts, Ross County, Ohio****Trend of Fatalities, 1997-2001**

		1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Fatality Counts	Total Fatalities	9	22	19	15	18
	Alcohol-Related	1	9	6	6	6
	Single Vehicle	4	13	12	11	10
	Non-Junction	7	18	15	12	17
	Intersection	1	2	1	2	1
	Intersection-Related	0	1	0	1	0
	Speeding Involved	3	8	4	4	3
	Pedestrians	0	1	2	0	2
	Pedalcyclists	0	0	0	0	0
	Large Truck Involved	1	2	2	1	2
	Roadway Departure	6	18	12	14	13
	Passenger Car Occupants	6	10	11	6	9
	Light Truck/Van Occupants	2	9	5	6	4
	Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	1	1	0	2	1
	Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	9	20	16	14	14
	Motorcycle Riders	0	1	1	1	2

Source: Fatality Analysis Reporting System (FARS) Files

Passenger Vehicle Occupant Deaths (age 5+)
By Restraint Use, 2001

Fatalities	Total	Restrained	Unrestrained	Unknown
2001	13	4	7	2

Motorcyclist Rider Deaths (age 5+)
By Helmet Use, 2001

Fatalities	Total	Helmeted	Unhelmeted	Unknown
2001	2	0	2	0

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Fatalities, Fatality Rates per 100,000 Population and Ranks Within State, 2001

	2001			
	Fatalities	Rank Within State	Fatality Rate	Rank Within State
Total Fatalities	18	22	24.40	18
Alcohol-Related	6	34	8.13	34
Single Vehicle	10	22	13.56	19
Non-Junction	17	18	23.05	11
Intersection	1	61	1.36	56
Intersection-Related	0	0	0	0
Speeding Involved	3	34	4.07	27
Pedestrians	2	11	2.71	6
Pedalcyclists	0	0	0	0
Large Truck Involved	2	37	2.71	32
Roadway Departure	13	21	17.62	15
Passenger Car Occupants	9	33	12.20	26
Light Truck/Van Occupants	4	34	5.42	36
Other/Unknown Occpants (not including Motorcycles)	1	20	1.36	11
Total Occupants (not including Motorcycles)	14	27	18.98	26
Motorcycle Riders	2	25	2.71	16

Rank =1 indicates Highest Number of Fatalities or Fatality Rate in State.